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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCE

In re Application of

Riviere et al.

Serial No.: 08/252,710

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For: RETROVIRAL GENE THERAPY VECTORS :
AND THERAPEUTIC METHODS BASED :
THEREON :



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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.194

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Appellants hereby request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.194 an oral hearing in the appeal for the above-captioned application. A check in the amount of \$135.00 for the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(d) is attached.

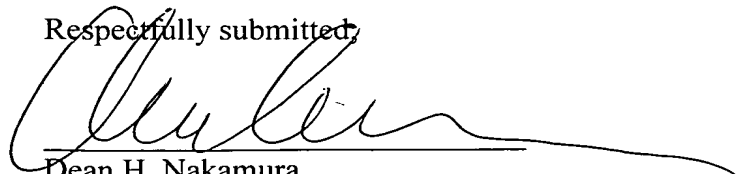
The Commissioner hereby is authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 which may become due in connection with the instant application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-2220.

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